PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14, of the Texas Constitution, I, George W. Bush, Governor of Texas, do hereby disapprove and veto House Bill No. 583 because of the following objections:

House Bill No. 583 is unnecessary. The important issue of student discipline has been better addressed by Senate Bill No. 133, signed into law earlier this session. House Bill No. 583 is contrary to the principles of local control and site-based management, and seeks to impose additional and unnecessary bureaucracy at the Texas Education Agency.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 20th day of June, 1997.

George W Bush Government of Texas